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Part B for February 44

SUBJECT

Authorising the Food Inspectors to draw the Salary Bills of the depot staff.

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To.

The Dr. of C.S
A.C. Bangalore -
Comptroller to Govt.
Auditor & Accounting officer.

G.O. No. S.D. 5342-45/A102-43-8 Dj 10/11-2-44

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Ref to the Director of Civil Supplies Memo No. I.Fd. 3780/A 102-43-18 dated 6-12-1943.

Forwarding for necessary action the representation of the staff of the Government Grain Depots in Bangalore city regarding the non-payment of their salaries for several months.

Letter No. I.Fd/R. 12233 dated the 2nd Dec., 1943, from the Director of Civil Supplies recommending that the Food Inspectors in charge of the several Divisions in Bangalore city may be authorised to draw the Salary bills of the Depot staff and Assistant Food Inspectors.

1) There are 12 Taluk Depots and 115 Grain depots under Government Management in the Bangalore city, with a total staff of 738 hands. At present the Salary bills of the entire staff is being drawn month after month. This procedure has resulted in a lot of difficulty and delay in disbursement. In order to avoid this the Director of Civil Supplies recommends that the Food Inspectors in the several

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Divisions in the city may be authorised to draw the Salary Bills of the Assistant Food Inspectors and of the Staff in the Government Depots in their respective Divisions. The proposal is for orders.

2) The opinion of the Comptroller seems to be necessary in this matter.

3) It would be better if the Retaining officer exercises proper check over the Salary Bills prepared by the Divisional Food Inspectors and Commissioner before they are sent to the Audit office every month.

4) Bangalore city has been divided into 9 areas each area being in charge of a Food Inspector. These Inspectors have been given a Deputation allowance of 20% of their salaries (not exceeding the total emolument of Rs. 100/- pm) and a Conveyance allowance of Rs. 20/- p.m. Rules.

Yes 22/x/41

5) Food Inspectors have not got sufficient staff to be allowed to draw the salary bills of the depot staff. Instead of one bill being prepared for the whole city nine bills

I do not agree 20/11

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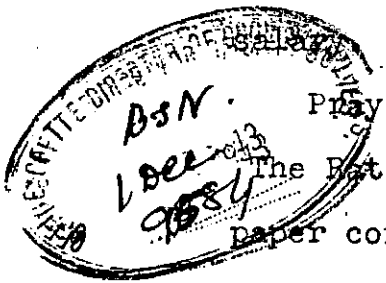
To

M.A.Srinivasan Esq B.A,

Food minister, Bangalore.

Sir,

We the city Depot clerks and managers beg for mercy in your hands. We are starving for want of



Pray, please refer to Thainadu dated 25/11/43 The Rationing Officer in his interview with the Paper correspondent, says that it will take more time to get staff sanction.& ~~it~~ pay will not be given til then.

Pray it is already several months. Pity the poor and sanction our pay. Else we will all die out of starvation.

DEpot clerks & managers.

C. F. 74.]

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Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

Kly no 4234

SUPPLY SECRETARIAT
8 JAN 44
D No 4413/44

The proposal of the Director of Civil Supplies in the matter of appointment of Food Inspectors in Bangalore city to draw the salary Bills of the Depot staff, in their respective jurisdiction is under consideration separately. The file in this Subject has been referred to the Comptroller for opinion.

Submitted

Kly 8/1

May be obtained urgently & put up for orders

Kly 10/1

C.O. reminder sent on 10/1

N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

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No.SD/ R 12255

Office of the Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore,
Bangalore, 18th Decr. '43.

The Secretary to Government,
Development Department (Supplies),
BANGALORE.

Sir,

Subject: Salary to staff of Government Grain Depots in Bangalore City.

With reference to your letter No.SD.3780/A.102-43-180 dated 6-12-43, I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of report from the Rationing Officer, together with a copy of his note submitted to you on 19-11-43 on the subject. As pointed out by the Rationing Officer, the main difficulty in the timely preparation of the bill is one relating to the large personnel who have to be dealt with. There are twelve fuel depots and 115 grains depots, and a total staff of 738 have to be dealt with under a single bill. It has been found that the collection of the necessary reports of absence and other particulars from the Food Inspector of the respective divisions and their consolidation have resulted in some delay. To obviate the above difficulties, I propose that the Food Inspectors of the concerned divisions should be authorised to draw the bills of the depot staff of their respective circles, and I request you to kindly obtain and communicate the necessary sanction of the Govemment in the matter. Excise Inspectors and Police Inspectors and officers of similar status have been authorised to draw the pay bills of the staff and hence in order to avoid the delays complained of, the Food Inspectors may be authorised to draw the bills of the depot staff and Assistant Food Inspectors. Two orders are solicited

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

By Raghavendra 18/12
Director of Civil Supplies.

D.O. Letter No.Pr.C.2-56/43-44 dated 24th November 43, from the Rationing Officer, Bangalore City, to the Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore, Bangalore.

I enclose herein an extract from the Daily News dated 20-11-1943, reporting that the employees of certain Government Grain Depots in the City have struck work as their pay had not been paid for the last two months. The statement in the paper is exaggerated and without any foundation in fact. About 40 employees had seen me on Thursday afternoon on my assurance that their pay would be disbursed from Friday the 19th instant, they returned to their houses. I may add that Thursday afternoon was a holiday for Government Depots. The pay of the staff for September has already been disbursed and the Bill for October is under preparation and it is expected that the pay for October will be disbursed by the end of the month. I have also enclosed herein for your information a copy of the note sent by me to the Secretary, Development Department, who rang me up on the 19th and wanted a short note as to the difficulty in drawing the pay. I believe it will be necessary to warn the Editors of both the Daily News and the Tainaud who has already published a similar item for publishing alarming news. The head lines were also in very bold type.

"Copy"

BSG.

B Ramachandra Rao

Director of Civil Supplies.

Submitted.

Proposals for sanction of the establishment required for 120 Government Grain Depots were submitted from this Office to the Director of Civil Supplies during the last week of July, 1943. Government Depots were started as and when buildings were available during the first week of August, 43. At the end of August, 67 Depots had been opened. About the first week of October, 43, a sum of Rs. 6,000/- was advanced to the Depot Staff at the average rate of half the pay. The Bill for August, 43, was sent to the Comptroller for pre-audit in the second week of August, 43. The Comptroller passed the Bill provisionally stating that the necessary Government sanction should be communicated to him before the next bill was presented for audit. The pay for August was disbursed in the second week of August, 43. Government Orders sanctioning the establishment was received in this Office on the 23rd, October, 43. The Bill for September, 43, was sent to the Comptroller on 11-11-1943, i.e., 22 days after the receipt of Government Order. As the Bill for September dealt with 576 persons, the compilation of the Bill took about 15 days. The Bill for October is under preparation and will be sent to the Comptroller during the course of this week for pre-audit.

There are several difficulties in the preparation of these bills. The main difficulty is one of the large number of personnel who have to be dealt with. Reports regarding absence from duty and other particulars required for the preparation of the bill had to be obtained from the Food Inspectors concerned. A number of retired officials have been entertained and, in the beginning, a certain amount of difficulty is experienced as their pay at the time of retirement and the pension they are now drawing to be definitely ascertained.

The preparation of one single Bill for the entire Depot Staff will necessarily lead to considerable delay and the solution appears to be either to permit the 3 Assistant Rationing Officers sanction for whose appointment proposals have already been made, or to permit the Food Inspectors to draw the Bills of the Divisions concerned.

p.t.o.

29/12/43

Mr. B. S. RAGHAVENDRA RAO, M.A., (Hons.),
Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR
OF CIVIL SUPPLIES IN MYSORE.

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER
FOR INDUSTRIES & SU
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No. 906

D. O. S. D. R 12687 Dated Bangalore 26th Decr. 1943

SUPPLY SECRETARIAT
31 DEC 1943
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My dear Sir,

In enclosing herewith your memo No. D. No dated 29th November 1943 requesting me to see you, I am enclosing a copy of my letter No.SDR.12255 dated 20th December 1943 to the Secretary to Government in the matter. The delay in question would be avoided and the work considerably simplified, if the Food Inspectors are allowed to draw the pay of the Depot Staff in the same manner as Police Inspectors and Excise Inspectors.

I will see you with the file on your return to HQ on.

Yours sincerely,

B. Raghavendra Rao

I can see no objn. to this forwarding.

M.A.Sreenivasan, Esq.,B.A.,
Minister for Industries & Supplies,
Bangalore.

The matter may be got examined & put up for orders very early

The file has already been put up for orders. (Secy)

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No.SD/ 12253

Office of the Director of
Civil Supplies in Mysore,
Bangalore, 18th Decr.'43.

The Secretary to Government,
Development Department (Supplies),
BANGALORE.

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I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M. N. Pallegar

Director of Civil Supplies.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Signed by Mr MSSwaminathan
Pwd

May this be—

(i) printed ?

(ii) treated as a standing order ?

(iii) published in the Gazette, English Part ?

(iv) translated ?

(v) placed at the disposal of the press ?

(vi) published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

Section

File No. A122-43

Serial No. 8

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read— Correspondence ending with letter no So/R.12233 dated 1st to 20th December 1943, from the Director of Civil Supplies, stating that the salary of the entire staff of 738 hands employed in ~~Order thereon—No.~~ the several Government Depots in Bangalore city is being drawn under one bill involving much labour and delay in disbursement and that in order to ~~avoid~~ obviate this difficulty

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the Food Inspectors in charge of the Several divisions, may be authorised to draw the pay ~~abstractions~~ Bills of the Depot Staff and Assistant Food Inspectors, in their respective areas

2. Ten official Note No 191/A-1 dated the 18th January 1944 from the Controller, on the subject.

Order SD.B342-45 11/2/44

Government are pleased to direct that the pay bills of the Staff of the Depots in Bangalore city may be drawn by the Food Inspectors of the divisions Concerned. ~~Sanction to the Station~~ All such bills ~~should be countersigned by the~~ ~~Controller~~ Superintendent of the Bangalore Rationing officer, ~~to ensure~~ the Correctness of the claims.

List of Enclosures
~~Nil~~ (Nil)

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To the Controller

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

Read:-

Correspondence ending with letter No. SD/R.12255, dated, the 20th December, 1943, from the Director of Civil Supplies, stating that the salary of the entire staff of 733 hands employed in the several Government depots in Bangalore City is being drawn under one bill involving much delay in disbursement of salaries and that in order to obviate this, the Food Inspectors in charge of the several Divisions, may be authorised to draw the pay bills of the depot staff and Assistant Food Inspectors, in their respective areas.

2. Un-official note No.191/A-1, dated, the 18th January, 1944, from the Comptroller, on the subject.

ORDER NO. SD. 534245 /A.122-43-8,

DATED, BANGALORE, THE 10TH FEBRUARY, 1944.

Government are pleased to direct that the pay bills of the staff of the depots in Bangalore City may be drawn by the Food Inspectors of the divisions concerned. All such bills should, however, be countersigned by the Rationing Officer, Bangalore City.

M S Srinivachar
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.
(Supplies)

TO---The Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore, Bangalore.
" Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.
" Comptroller to Government.

Copy to: The Auditor & Accounting Officer,
Civil Supplies.

KRG.S.